THE EVENING NEWS.

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A LARGE BANKRUPT STOCK OF

Shot Guns and Rifles

Of all kinds for sale at

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108 Water St., Benton Harbor, Mich.

Remember that I keep all kinds of hunting, fishing and sporting goods on hand and that I will not be undersold by any dealer in Southwestern Michigan. Winchester repeating rifles all sizes at $10, $11 and $14 each; see the old and new models. Quackenbush 22 calibre and other target guns; Winchester repeating shot gun, 6 shots, at $17; one Parker Bros. double barrel shot gun, second-hand at $30 and I have double barrel breech loading shot guns, both 10 and 12 gauge at $7, $9, $11 and $12 each; single barrel breech loaders, both new and second-hand at $5, $6 and $7 each; muzzle loading shot guns at the lowest prices, loaded paper shells 10, 12 and 16 gauge, a leader at 35 cents per box. I have the Quick shots, Rivals and U. M. C. in large stock, so that you can be suited on shot sizes; a full and complete line of Winchester, Colts and Marlin rifle cartridges at winning prices; 26 different sizes of revolver cartridges. B. B. Floberts and Blanks, Lafin & Rand's shot gun; rifle and blasting powder, smokeless powder for rifles and shot guns; shot gun fixtures; brass shells, loaded and unloaded; buck, common shot and bar lead; reloading tools for rifles and shot guns, cartridge belts and shell bags, hunting coats, vests and hats, canvas game bags and belts for hunters, powder flasks and shot-pouches; primers, snipe, turkey and duck calls; shot gun shells loaded with smokeless powder, bowie knives and knives for hunters, pasteboard and felt wads, waterproof and G. D. gun caps. All kinds of new and second-hand revolvers. My leaders are 22 center fire at $1.50, 32 and 38 center fire at $1.75. These guns are all of the Bulldog pattern and they are all right. I am selling today the 32 and 38 center fire both blue and nickel, 5 and 6 shot rubber handle rifle barrel, fluted cylinder, break down, shell ejector, 4½ inch barrel, Smith & Wesson pattern for $4. You can have a large stock of Iver Johnson, Harrington & Ritchardson to select from. And how is that for a leader on guns? Holsters for revolvers and cases for guns and rifles, dark lanterns for coon hunters and Newhouse traps for trappers; compasses, boxing gloves, iron and maple dumb bells, punching bags, foot balls, all kinds and sizes, sling shots, billies and knuckles, dog chains, collars and muzzles.

All Kinds of Shot Guns and Rifles to Rent by the Day or Week.

See my Marlin safety rifles of all sizes, air rifles and B. B. shot for air rifles, sling shots, rubbers and anything that will shoot, you will find it at Jackson's. One 7x7 and 1 7x9 wedge tents for sale cheap. If you have got a good rifle, shot gun or revolver and want to sell it I will buy it. I have a large Colt revolver, 45 size at $5, a Remington large 44 at $5.

Unredeemed Gold and Silver watches of All Kinds.

Seventy-seven solid gold rings, banjoes, guitars and violins at ½ first cost. Trading men look over my watch stock. I can always stock you up on bargains. I have dealt in fishing, hunting and sporting goods in Benton Harbor for 20 years. I buy cheaper than any other dealer and I will not be undersold. SECOND-HAND BOOKS WANTED. I do not handle school books. After November 1st I will pay the best market price for all kinds of raw furs, and remember that I loan money on all kinds of personal property, and I always have about 14 wagon loads of second-hand truck of all kinds for sale. I also cash the time checks of the Crouch Construction company.

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At

Dr. Fabry's Drug Store

110 Water St.

$1,000 A DAY GOING.

Failure of First National Bank Taking That Sum Out of Circulation Daily.

DEPOSITORS INVITED AGAIN.

This Time They Must Exchange Their Pass Books for Receiver's Certificates.

The failure of the First national bank is contracting the volume of local currency at the rate of $1,000 per day. Since Receiver Ainger took charge of the bank his collections on the paper of the bank has averaged over $1,000 per day and this program will continue until after January 1 when depositors receive their first dividend and the money now tied up comes back into circulation.

Receiver Ainger is busy making an inventory of the assets of the bank and when this is finished he will have a pretty good idea of just how the depositors will come out of the wreck. The bank owes about $90,000 and has about $137,000 in assets to pay with. In this calculation of assets is counted the $20,000 Gas City loan, the value of which is very uncertain. If enough money can be realized from the assets the depositors will be paid interest on their deposits at the rate of 6 per cent. Certificates of deposits good for 4 per cent interest on their face will draw 6 per cent from the date of the failure, if the cash holds out. There is however a seemingly poor show for any kind of interest being received by depositors.

The treasury department has a notice in THE NEWS today calling upon all persons having claims against the bank to present proof of such claims within the next three months "otherwise they may be disallowed." This [illegible] depositor must take his [illegible] the bank, make affidavit to the [illegible] on a blank furnished by the receiver, and then exchange the passbook for a receiver's certificate. The receiver's certificate will be transferrable.

Receiver Ainger and his clerks are working six hours a day, as many hours as a man can stand of hard figuring where no mistakes are allowed.

LAY UP THIS WEEK.

City of Milwaukee Will Close the Season Saturday.

The palace steamer City of Milwaukee will close the season this week, when the steamer City of Louisville will be able to handle the Chicago business. The fruit growers who have patronized the Graham & Morton line are being given free transportation to Chicago and President Graham will keep the boat in service this week chiefly to show his appreciation of the patronage of the shippers who have been so liberal with the line.

President Graham is arranging for winter boats but has made no contract as yet.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY.

Will be Celebrated by the Patricians October 8.

The Patricians will celebrate the birth of their order Friday night, October 8, at the Woodmen hall A splendid literary and musical program full of interest is now under preparations and speeches by the supreme court of officers will be made. The event, which is the first anniversary of the order, will be open to the public.

BONDSMEN MAKE THREATS.

They Talk of Surrendering Hushaw's Body.

The bondsmen of Jacob Hushaw threaten to surrender Hushaw's body to the court because he shows a disposition to prosecute the appeal of the case which resulted in his being placed under bonds of $200 dollars to keep the peace. The consideration between Hushaw and his bondsmen was that he should not prosecute the appeal in the circuit court.

EXCITING TESTIMONY.

It is Given in a Criminal Case Before Justice Graves.

Justice Graves is today conducting a hearing in the case of the people against Charles Phillips, who is alleged to have threatened to "cut the gizzard" out of Frank Johnson, a Stevensville citizen.

Johnson complains that he wants Phillips required to give sureties to keep the peace. The defendant is represented by Lawyer Sears and the prosecution is conducted by Prosecutor Valentine, assisted by W. C. Hicks. The following jury was impaneled: William Rowe, J. O. Perrin, Joseph Enders, John E. Burbank, Edward Michael and Edward Burton. The court room is packed with spectators. The evidence is rather unsavory.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Wednesday preceded by showers in east portion this afternoon. Cooler Wednesday.

A WHEAT THIEF.

Makes a Raid on Farmer Hanover's Bins.

Sunday night the wheat bin on the premises of William Hanover, one-half mile south of New Troy, was visited by thieves who carried away between 80 and 90 bushels of the valuable cereal.

The theft was reported to Sheriff Ferguson yesterday afternoon. The sheriff immediately detailed Deputy Sherwood on the case and it is expected that the miscreants will be run to cover before the lapse of many days.

LADY MISSIONARIES.

They Are Holding a Reception and Anniversary at the Congregational Church.

HISTORY OF THE SOCIETY.

It Was Organized Ten Years Ago and Death Has Claimed Four Members.

The prayer meeting room of the Congregational church is turned into a reception room this afternoon and light refreshments are being served. The room is decorated with lace curtains, rugs and flowers. The event is the tenth anniversary of the Ladies' Missionary society of the First Congregational church.

Mrs. N. J. Eldred, the president, gave the address of welcome. This was followed by a history of the society given by Miss Hettie Brewster, of Chicago, daughter of the first president of the society. The first meeting was held ten years ago at the residence of Mrs. S. A. Bailey. Mrs. W. H. Brewster, wife of the Congregational pastor at that time, was elected president and Miss Lena Eldred secretary. There have been four deaths in the society, as follows: Miss Lena Eldred, Mrs. Harriet C. Webb, Mrs. A. R. Nowlen and Mrs. Ruth Allison.

The missionary workers of the churches in both cities were present and the afternoon program was much enjoyed. The feature of the evening program will be an address by Miss Rowena Bird, a returned missionary from China.

SPRAY PUMPS TO AFRICA.

Morrill & Morley Advertising Benton Harbor.

Morrill & Morley, manufacturers of a popular pump for spraying fruit, yesterday shipped a quantity of the pumps to Cape Town, Africa. They have customers in all parts of the world, and the extensive sale of the products of their factory are a splendid advertisement for Benton Harbor.

SOLD AT AUCTION.

The Personal Effects of Eugene Wile Will Go Under the Hammer.

The personal effects of Eugene Wile, the wiley young man who came to this city from La Porte to run a billiard parlor and who skipped the town after running in debt wherever it was possible, will be sold at public auction at his former place of business, Territorial street, next Monday by Attorney George W. Bridgman to satisfy chattel mortgage claims.

The sale will be very interesting as it will include Wile's clothes, poker chips, sweethearts' pictures, base and foot ball suits and in fact everything the young man possessed.

It is thought the sale will attract numerous buyers and the effects bring good prices.

All the Pretty Girls

Of Benton Harbor are not in "The Story of Old Glory." There is a lot of them however. Conkey's hall October 14 and 15. Adults 25 cents, children 15 cents. No reserved seats.

An Explanatory Hint.

"Why," asked Pat as he came hiccoughing into the Quippery, "is the humble goat always held up as the simile for intoxication—for instance, 'full as a goat?'"

"I cannot guess," answered Tim, "unless"—and he paused meditatively and looked at Pat as if he expected an invitation—"unless it is because he is always ready to throw a horn into anybody."—Pittsburg News.

All animals, domestic ones included, become restless before a storm. Cats and dogs scratch and move about, while their fur looks less bright and glossy than usual. It is always a sure sign of rain when horses and cattle scratch their necks and sniff the air.

FERRY'S DEPARTMENT STORE

117—PIPESTONE STREET—117

SPECIAL SALE OF

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..GROCERY DEPARTMENT..

9 bars Santa Claus Soap	.25	10 lbs Rolled Oats	.25
9 bars Jaxon Soap	.25	4 cans Boston Baked Beans	.25
9 bars Queen Anne Soap	.25	4 cans Tomatoes	.25
9 bars Armour Soap	.25	3 packages Matches	.25
11 bars Calumet Soap	.25	3 boxes Buttermilk Soap	.25
Costul Soap, 4c a bar, 7 bars	.25	1 lb. Delicatisse Baking Powder	.8
Bird Seed, package	.4	1 lb. Calumet Baking Powder	.19
Fairbanks' Gold Dust	.15	1 pint French Bluing	.4
12½ lbs. Corn Meal	.12	7 lbs. Laundry Starch	.25
Lion or XXXX Coffee	:12	1 lb. Corn Starch	.4
Colo. Rio Coffee	.12	3 cans extra fine Salmon	.25
Armour Family Lard	.6	3 cans Cove Oysters	.25
6 lbs. Butter Crackers	.25	1 lb. Shredded Cocoanut	.18
5 lbs. Good Rice	.25	1 lb. Selected Currants	.8
Sweet Chocolate	.5	Rising Sun Stove Polish	.5
Bakers' Chocolate	.19		

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EVERYTHING NEW...

We have just opened and placed on sale the most complete line of

Popular Priced Clothing

We have ever handled in this place.

Our Long Suits are $10.00 Suits

With These We Defy Competition

Handsome black, all wool, Clay Worsteds, sacks and cutaways, at **$10.00.** Others get $12.50 for exactly the same.

A beautiful line of plaids, Check, Over Plaids, etc., at the popular price of **$10.00.**

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107 West Main Street...

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...DEALER IN...

Staple and Fancy Groceries and Crockery

Is the Place to go if you want to buy the Best Goods at the Lowest Prices.

HERE ARE A FEW OF OUR PRICES:

Ginger Snaps,	6 lbs. for 25c
6 lbs. Crackers	for 25c
4 lbs. Cottolene	for 25c
10 bars Soap	for 25c
6 cans Sardines	for 25c
4 lb. pkg. Gold Dust	for 15c
A Good Coffee,	at 15c per lb.
Washing Powder	[illegible] packages for 25c

Grand Opening..

..THIS WEEK

Fall Dress Goods,
Ladies and Children's
Capes and Jackets,
Winter Underwear.
Ready-Made Dress Skirts

At

JAMES POUND'S

Fred A. Hobbs, Pres. T. T. Hobbs' Vice Pres. Wm. H. Poundstone, Sec

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WASHBURN CROSBY FLOUR.

The Weather has Changed
Call on the

Union Ice & Coal Company

For Pure Spring Water From Paw Paw Lake.
The only pure ice that **ICE** is for sale in the city.

Leave Orders at A. H. Conkey & Son's Grocery Store
TELEPHONE 79-4 rings.

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GOLD MEDAL

The Flour That Made Minneapolis Famous,

is the greatest economy in baking. It represents perfect purity and the most satisfactory results. Daily output 16,000 barrels. For sale by all grocers.

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A tablet now and then will prevent diarrhœa, dysentery, all summer complaints, causing easy, natural results. Sample and book free. Ad. STERLING REMEDY CO., Chicago, Montreal, Can., or New York. 270

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25 CTS. A MONTH

I SHAKE THE TREE AND YOU GATHER THE FRUIT...

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PRINTING—THAT'S MY BUSINESS [illegible] KNOW HOW TO [illegible] BUSINESS

EXPERTS GET A REST.

Variation in the Bony Monotony of the Murder Case That Is Entertaining Chicago.

MRS. LUETGERT QUITE A DWARF,

As Estimated by an Expert from Her Alleged Femur—Bone-Sawing That Is a Delight to the Defense—From Osteology to Soap Making—Maker of the Saponaceous Product Sheds Light on the Sausage Maker's Experiment.

Chicago, Oct. 5.—An unexpected turn in affairs occurred in the Luetgert trial during the afternoon session of the court yesterday. The defense suddenly dropped its line of expert testimony and put on a witness to impeach the evidence of the witnesses for the state. Ex-Judge Vincent, Attorney Phalen, Arnold Luetgert and others who are interested in the defense, held a consultation relative to whether or not Luetgert should go on the witness stand. At the close of the conference last night ex-Judge Vincent said he had not decided upon the matter. It was intimated that Luetgert might be called to the witness stand today. In fact it is expected that he will be. The turn taken in the proceedings yesterday permitted counsel to get a line upon the probable length of time it will require to finish the trial. State's Attorney Deneen said that three weeks more ought to see the end of the case.

Mrs. Luetgert Made Out a Dwarf.

For the time being counsel for the defense in the Luetgert case yesterday assumed that the bones offered by the state as evidence were human, and then showed that if the theory is correct the murdered or missing woman was but forty inches in height. Attorney Vincent had planned the effect with great care, and although the state ridicules the proposition the bold, flat statement created no little flurry in the court room. Assistant State's Attorney McEwen was equally sure the state's case was not injured by the development of the height question. He holds that the femur in question is so changed by the potash that its original size can only be guessed at. As a matter of fact the femur is not as much changed as those the defense put through the alleged process in the vat.

Went Out to Saw a Bone.

At one point in the court proceedings yesterday Vincent asked the court to allow Professor Eckley to saw a real human temporal bone used in the defense's experiment in the same manner as was done by the state's expert when the alleged temporal bone in evidence was sawed. The purpose of this was to compare the two fragments. The result obtained was not given in court, but the defense's experts say it completely overthrows the state's claim that its bone was from a human being. "We had Dr. N. D. Pierce [expert for the state] saw the bone for us," said Dr. B. L. Riese, "so that we would be sure the state's treatment of its exhibit would be duplicated. Our human bone is entirely different from the one introduced by the prosecution. The arrangement of the cells is dissimilar and the articular surface shows no resemblance to that of the state's bone."

Summary of the Expert Testimony.

As to the rest, the experts of the defense yesterday continued to drive nails in the coffin of the state's bone case. Eckley declared that the temporal bone and femur are not from a human being. Samuel C. Plummer, anatomist, testified that the state's exhibits were not human bones. Louis Gottschalk, a soap manufacturer, described the probable result of such an attempt to make soft soap as Luetgert is alleged to have made, and his description fitted the story told by the defense.

ONE POINT FOR THE STATE.

Luetgert Was Extravagant When He Undertook to Make Soap.

The state got one bit of comfort out of Gottschalk's testimony. Deneen and McEwen figured that the soft soap Luetgert tried to make would have cost about $50, when he could have bought enough already made for about $7. During the afternoon session Professor Eckley was recalled and admitted that upon one occasion he did say that Professor Dorsey, whose evidence he testified against, was one of the best men the state could have procured as an expert. It may be stated here that on Saturday it was published with considerable emphasis that the state would force Dr. Eckley to admit that he had said he (Eckley) knew little about bones, when the state wanted him to testify for the prosecution.

Professor William Hall, of the Northwestern Dental college, an expert in chemistry, gave scientific testimony with reference to the action of potash upon false teeth and the plates to which they are attached. It was his opinion that the potash solution in the vat in which Mrs. Luetgert's body is said to have been disintegrated was not of sufficient destructive power to seriously affect the teeth, but would undoubtedly either destroy or greatly damage the mouth plate. David Victor, a carpenter who lives in the vicinity of the Luetgert sausage factory, was called upon to tell whether he had ever observed Mrs. Luetgert in a sad or morose condition of mind. He said he had not. She always was cheerful and happy when he saw her.

"How many times have you seen her cheerful and happy?" asked State's Attorney Deneen. "Oh, I don't know," answered the witness.

"Well, about 275 times?" urged the questioner. "Not so many."

"Well, 274 times then?" "Yes, that's about right."

"So are you. You may go," said the state's attorney, and the cheerful witness stepped down.

Druggist H. F. Krueger, at whose store at Clybourn and Ashland avenues Frank Bialk bought a bottle of Hunyadi water on the night of May 1, explained that there are six different varieties of this mineral water and that Bialk called for a variety for which Luetgert had expressed a preference. Thus it was shown why Luetgert had sent for the water when he had forty-[illegible] of May [illegible]. The [illegible] seemed to be in his usual frame of mind, according to the witness. Odorofsky had testified that Luetgert looked "wild."

REBELS ATTACKED ON THE HILLS.

Weyler's Men Reported to Have Hit the Insurgents Hard.

Havana, Oct. 5.—It is announced from Spanish headquarters that General Molina, with a detachment of government troops, moved on an insurgent force under Arango, Sanguily, Aranguren and Eliseo, at Arcos de Diego and Samarones, on the heights about Madruga, this province, on the 30th of Sept. The Spanish general divided his forces and went through different mountain defiles towards the insurgent camp. At 10 a. m. on Oct. 1 firing was commenced all along the line and the insurgents were compelled to seek refuge in flight.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon the Spaniards had captured all the insurgent positions, driving the enemy to seek refuge in caves or jump over high cliffs. The insurgent infantry, which was commanded by Arango and Sanguily, left over 100 men killed at the foot of the precipices. The Spaniards lost fifteen men killed and had two officers and thirty-five men wounded.

SLAUGHTER AT A CROSSING.

Train Runs Down a Wagon and Seven Deaths Will Be the Total Result.

Willow Springs, Mo., Oct. 5.—A passenger train on the Kansas City, Fort Scott and Memphis railway ran into a wagon containing seven persons at Dead Man's Cut, three miles north of here at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, instantly killing six and fatally injuring the other one. Those killed were: Philip L. Wooton, Philip Wooton, Jr., Amanda Wooton, Dora Wooton, Mrs. Francis Malbrey, and an infant child, 4 months old. Philip Wooton's wife is so badly hurt that she cannot live. The train was stopped and the remains of the dead and injured were brought here. Conductor Hallaway says proper signals for the crossing were given, but they were not heard. The crossing is considered one of the most dangerous in the country, being a curve and a heavy grade. The bodies are now in charge of the coroner here. The persons killed lived in Texas county, Mo., and were on their to Arkansas to pick cotton.

SOLLY SMITH GETS THE DECISION.

Referee Says He Put Up a Better Twenty-Round Fight Than Dixon.

San Francisco, Oct. 5.—Solly Smith, of Los Angeles, was given the decision over George Dixon, of Boston, in a twenty-round fight last night. The match was virtually for the championship of the featherweight class, and Smith is now at the top. The fight was not a remarkably fast one, the men taking no chances except in two or three rounds, when Dixon attempted to force matters.

Smith, however, who has greatly improved since he met Dixon before, had all the better of the in-fighting, using his right with great effect both on the body and head. Smith was cool throughout the fight, and came out without a mark of any kind. His blocking and ducking of Dixon's leads were the features of the fight and kept him out of harm's way.

To Help the Boys and Girls.

Indianapolis, Oct. 5.—A call has been issued for the eighth national convention of the Boys' and Girls' National Home and Employment association, to be held in this city Dec. 14 and 15. The association was organized some years ago for the purpose of ascertaining the nature and extent of crime among youth, its origin, and if possible to furnish a remedy for its suppression.

Thirty Horses Roasted Alive.

Lacon, Ills., Oct. 5.—At 2 o'clock yesterday morning Burgess Bros.' barn at Wenona burned, roasting alive thirty horses, which had just been shipped in from the state fair at Springfield, many of them wearing the first and second premium colors awarded them there. Loss is $50,000; insurance is on the barn alone. The fire is supposed to have been started by tramps in the hay loft.

Objects to the "National" Democrats.

Lincoln, Neb, Oct. 5.—Chairman Dahlman, of the Democratic state central committee, yesterday filed with the secretary of state a protest against placing the "National" Democratic nominees on the official ballot at the coming election. The protest states that there is no such party in Nebraska as the "National" Democrats.

First Game for the Temple Cup.

Boston, Oct. 5.—The new champions took the first game for the Temple cup yesterday, defeating the Baltimores in a close contest more through a combination of lucky hits and daring base running, assisted by darkness in the last two innings, than by any great superiority of play. The score was: Baltimore 12, Boston 13.

Dividends in Failed Bank Cases.

Washington, Oct. 5.—The comptroller of the currency has declared dividends in favor of the creditors of insolvent national banks as follows: Fifteen per cent., First National bank of Newport, Ky.; 5 per cent., North Platte National bank of North Platte, Neb.; 5 per cent., Chemical National bank of Chicago.

Wisconsin Editor Gets a Post.

Washington, Oct. 5.—Among the appointments announced by the president yesterday was that of William R. Finch, of Wisconsin, to be minister of the United States to Paraguay and Uruguay. Finch is editor and owner of the Eau Claire Republican and Leader.

Death of an Ex-United States Senator.

St. Paul, Oct. 5.—Ex-United States Senator Samuel J. R. McMillan died Sunday night of anaemia. He was recently a member of the commitee of revision of the confession of faith of the Presbyterian church. He was 71 years old.

Hood's Pills

Cure sick headache, bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, gas in the stomach, distress and indigestion. Do[illegible]

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F. A. VOTEY, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND SURgeon. Office, Jones & Sonner block. Hours, 1 to 4:30 and 7 to 8 p. m. Residence, 324 Pipestone street. Telephone, 111, 1 ring.

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WANTED—PARTY WITH SMALL CAPItal to invest in business to call at Phoenix hotel after 6 p. m. this evening. Pritchard & Vail. 626t6

WANTED—AT ONCE. A GIRL FOR GENeral housework. Enquire Mrs C. K. Farmer. Highland avenue. 606t6

WANTED—IF YOU HAVE ANY LAMPS, tinware, furniture, scissors or knives to grind, saws to file, odd jobs of carpenter work, or in fact anything in repairs or keys made or fitted, come and see us as we do anything cheap. Yellow Front Bargain store.

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT

FOR RENT—SEVEN ROOM HOUSE, CITY water, good cistern, everything in good condition. Enquire at 312 East Main street. 631t6

FARM WANTED—FOR A TERM OF FIVE or ten years, a small farm, with good buildings, within six miles of Benton Harbor. Cash rent. George Miller, attorney, Bowman block. 624t6

FOR RENT—NEW COTTAGE, FOUR rooms, bath, pantry, closets, porches, wood shed, cemented cellar, cistern, well, choice location, $7 per month. Address box 1265, city. 612t6

FOR RENT—FURNISHED HOUSE AT A bargain. Inquire 200 Lake avenue. 617t6

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THE EVENING NEWS.

THIRD YEAR—NO. 622. BENTON HARBOR, MICH., TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1897. ONE CENT.

DILATORY ALDERMEN.

Another Attempt is Made by the City Council to Transact Business

AND ANOTHER FAILURE RESULTS

Impossible to Get the Councilmen to Attend Their Duties in the City Hall.

Again last night it was necessary to adjourn the meeting of the city council because enough aldermen were not present to transact the important business expected to come up. Only five aldermen were out, Rowe, McDonald, Sam Brown, E. W. Brown and Volheim. It was intended last night to settle the purchase of a hook and ladder truck, pass resolutions against delinquent owners of sidewalks and appropriate money to apply to some of the depleted funds. All this business went over until tomorrow night when another effort will be made to get the aldermen together.

Alderman Ward has not put in an appearance at a council meeting since he and Alderman McDonald clashed over the accusation from McDonald that Ward had voted dishonestly. Alderman Butzbach attends the meetings when he hasn't anything else to do and Alderman Cole was out driving last night and although a police officer was sent to remind him that his chair in the council chamber was vacant Cole did not appear and after waiting until after 9 o'clock for the sixth alderman the discovery was made that five was a quorum and that the council could proceed to allow the regular monthly claims, receive reports from city officers and transact other minor business. The hook and ladder truck matter, the sidewalk resolutions and the new license ordinance were not tackled, except to the extent of being carelessly talked over. While waiting for more aldermen to arrive and before the council sat down to business Councilman Rowe introduced this resolution to which every alderman said "aye:"

Whereas Aldermen Butzbach, Cole and Ward have absented themselves from the regular and special sessions of this council without just cause or provocation, therefore, be it resolved that one-fourth of their respective salaries be divided between the other members of the council pro rata.

Mayor Bell declared that his patience with the continued absentees was becoming exhausted; that he often inconvenienced himself to attend the council meetings and expected the aldermen would do the same. "There are claims for labor against the city," said Alderman Volheim, "which cannot be paid until some of the funds of the city are replenished and appropriations for such purposes cannot be made until we have a larger attendance of aldermen. It is a shame that the aldermen are not more attentive to duty."

Alderman McDonald, who had a $4 flag staff torn down last Hallowe'en, proposed that the city take some action looking toward protection for her citizens from the usual depredations of boys on the evening preceding All Saint's day this year. It was suggested that the mayor appoint extra policemen, two from each ward, to guard chattels on that night. The policemen will be appointed.

Tuesday, October 12, is the semi-annual meeting of the Crystal Springs cemetery trustees on the grounds and the council was invited to be present, Superintendent J. O. Rowe urging that if the council in a body could not be present that a committee be appointed to attend the meeting.

The city clerk read an invitation from the Kalamazoo city council urging Mayor Bell and the aldermen to be present at the street fair in Kalamazoo October 12, 13 and 14.

A new license ordinance to substitute for the one now in force was read and referred to the ordinance committee. The old one is ambiguous and undecipherable as well as incomprehensible and it is next to impossible to determine who shall or shall not pay a license, of draymen, peddlers, etc.

City Treasurer Brown reported a balance in the treasury of $4,458.08, and reported the street fund overdrawn to the amount of $728.07.

Chief of Police Sterns reported 17 arrests for the month of September and the collection of $41.50 by the justices in fines.

THE long winter evenings will soon be here and everybody will want a bright and entertaining newspaper. This want is fully met by the Chicago Chronicle.

EVENING NEWS 25 cents a month.

WILL WED.

Prominent Coloma Young People Soon to Marry.

Announcements of the marriage of Lowell Guy, one of the hustling young men of Coloma, and Miss Grace Teeter, daughter of V. B. Teeter, proprietor of the Teeter House, at Coloma, are out. The young people have a host of friends who will wish them unbounded happiness.

SEVEN ANIMALS ROASTED.

Bad Barn and Granary Fire, Near Cassopolis.

CASSOPOLIS, Oct. 5.—The large barn and granary on the farm of Mrs. George Fox were burned Sunday evening with nearly all their contents, including three horses, four cows and a large quantity of grain, hay and straw.

Josh Proctor, the hired man, was badly burned about the face and hands trying to save the horses. He rescued three.

A stranger was seen about the barn in the afternoon and was noticed leaving just before the fire broke out, so it is supposed to be incendiary. Loss $3,500: insurance $2,000.

ABOUT THE COUNTY.

West Sodus.

WEST SODUS, Oct. 5—Elder J. E. Moffet, of Middleville, took charge of his appointment at Bethel church last Sunday morning. His discourses given both morning and evening were much appreciated by the people.

Mrs. Keller, living near South Bend, Ind., is here visiting her cousins, J. B. Harman and Mrs. Sam Deaner.

James Akright returned home last week from North Webster, Ind., where he has been visiting his son, J. H. Akright.

Mrs. J. E. Harvey went last Thursday to visit her relatives and friends in Niles and Buchanan.

The ladies of the Willing Workers have taken the work in hand to fix over the interior of the Bethel church.

Miss Serena Roderick returned home last Wednesday from South Haven where she has been visiting friends for three weeks.

Last Saturday as Willie Brant was driving, going down the Stump hill, George Gano scared his horse which turned suddenly with the buggy throwing Willie to the ground. His horse ran on up the hill and was not caught until he was opposite the residence of R. I. King. Willie was not seriously hurt.

J. E. Harvey was called very suddenly to Buchanan Monday evening.

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Callocott, Mrs Tom	Olsen Miss Emma
Colegrove, Mrs Nancy	Peterson, Mrs Oscar
Dupny, Mrs Chas	Peterson, Mrs F J
Harris, Miss Verne	Packard, Miss Hattie
Jarvies, Mrs Cordia	Smith, Myrtle
Kelley, Mrs Nellie	Stevens, Mrs Mell
King, Mrs G A	Smith Mrs Nancy
Long, Mrs N V	Whiting, Miss E A
Landeck, Mrs Carrie	Westerbarns Mrs
Mathews, Miss Myrtle	

GENTLEMEN

Bissel, Arthur G	Jorgens, Mr R
Brown, Harry	Kreiger, Mr Albert
Brandt, M W	Kenneth, & Turner M M
Calvin, V P	Kreiger, Mr John
Conley, Mr Harvey	Lasher, Clemens
Corlett, Jno	Muggage, Rev G W
Drake, Myron	McGinnis, John Jr
Epley, Chas	Ross, Geo W
Howe, Mr Willie	Rea, Lincoln, A
Judd, A G	Thompson, Mr Edwin L
Jones, A P	Werz, C W

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THE MARRIAGE IS OFF.

Miss Lodima Hess Reconsiders Her Promise to Marry L. P. Bay.

AN ANONYMOUS LETTER DID IT

Apprises Miss Hess That Her Sweetheart Was Once Married and Was a Father.

The marriage of L. P. Bay and Miss Lodima Hess, of Berrien Centre will not occur tomorrow as over 100 invitations sent out a week ago announced. The probabilities are that the event will never occur.

Miss Hess is busy notifying her friends of the cancellation of the marriage and Bay is in an unknown land. The door of his barber shop and restaurant at Berrien Centre has not been opened since last Sunday. Bay's disappearance was sudden and unexpected. He took with him only the clothes he wore and he is as completely hidden from his friends as he might be if the earth had opened and swallowed him.

Miss Hess was contemplating the approach of her wedding day with pleasure. Her wedding gown was completed and all the esentials to a notable marriage had been provided for. Sunday an anonymous letter came to Miss Hess. It stated that her intended had been married and was the father of two children.

This information surprised Miss Hess. She was unwilling to believe it until told by Bay himself that it was true. He had kept her in ignorance of this fact, a show of deception that she could not tolerate, and without any ceremony she declared the wedding off and advised him that she never wanted to see him again.

Bay left the village at once without confiding his troubles to a single person. Miss Hess, in a business like way, sat down and wrote her friends whom she had invited to the wedding that the event had been postponed indefinitely. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hess, well-to-do farmers and in high standing in the community.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

HAPPY BERRIEN CENTRE PARTY.

Its Members Call on County Treasurer Clark.

J. J. Murphy and wife, E. Murphy, wife and daughter, Mrs. J. M. Murphy, Eldon Murphy, Mrs. Snaively and two daughters, Mrs. E. Rutter and son, Miss Elsie Michael and Miss Rogers, of Berrien Centre, and Mrs. Nancy Chatlin and daughter of Ohio, took Saturday morning's train at Berrien Centre on the Big Four for Benton Harbor and St. Joseph. They brought and deposited lunch baskets with County Treasurer Clark while they surveyed the court house and jail. At 12 o'clock the party called for their baskets. The treasurer would not surrender them but insisted that the edibles should be spread upon tables in his office. Of course the treasurer was invited to partake and he always being hungry about that time of the day did not refuse. After dinner the party spent the time until 5 o'clock train south in Benton Harbor shopping and looking over the business part of the city.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Because of considerable business in and from Grand Rapids, Indianapolis and Chicago, and the facility with which these places can be reached from the "Twin Cities" I have concluded to locate in Benton Harbor.

As a stranger soliciting a share of your patronage it is but just to you and to myself that I make some mention of my fitness for the work I would undertake. I was bred in and to the healing art, my father, brother and many relatives being physicians. I have attended and hold credentials from leading homœpathic and allopathic medical colleges. For eighteen years I have successfully conducted a large practice. I have held high office in State and National medical societies, and received honorary professional recognition from abroad. I have had considerable hospital experience, am something of a medical writer and author, and have been professor in reputable medical colleges.

These frank statements can be easily verified. If they commend me to your confidence it will give me pleasure to professionally advise and assist healthward all who need and desire my services.

I am prepared to and will practice all branches of medicine and surgery, but because of special research, experience and success in this direction, greatly prefer and particularly invite those suffering from obscure, complicated, delicate, and all chronic or lingering diseases to consult me. Obstinate cases that others have failed to cure are solicited.

My office is at 112 East Main street, one door east of the postoffice.

Respectfully,

C. EDSON COVEY, M. D.

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Heating Stoves...

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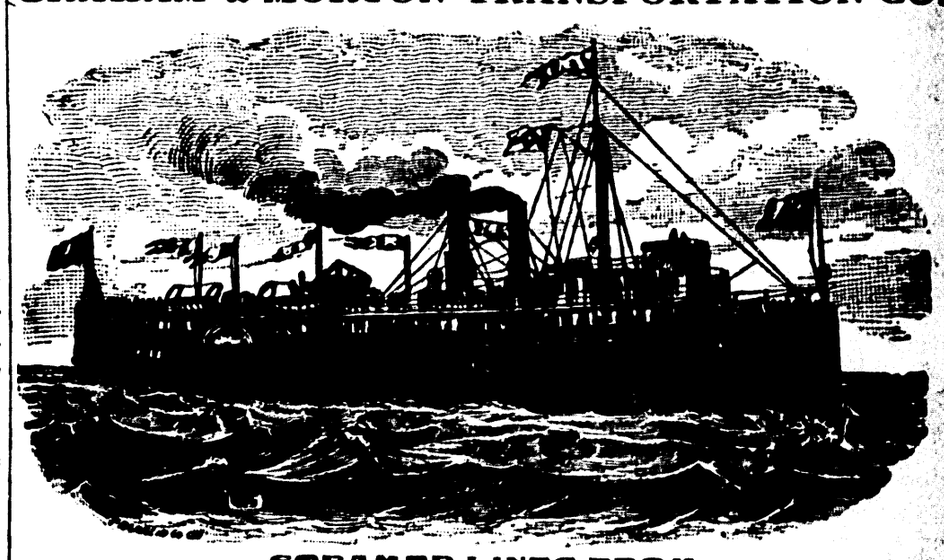

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TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.

TUESDAY, OCT. 5, 1897.

THE lawyers employed by the state to convict Luetgert could easily prove that Fred Woodruff was born, raised and always lived in St. Joseph and the trouble would be joyfully adjusted.

INDICATIONS are that Lord Salisbury will soon be relieved of the responsibility of the English government. Has not our congressman some good friend out of a job who would like the place?

COLONEL Bliss, of Saginaw, will not be a candidate for governor but will throw his support to Pingree for another term. The colonel has not declared, however, that he will refuse to be a United States senator.

IF dividing the salaries of Aldermen Butzbach, Cole and Ward between the other aldermen will in any way facilitate the transaction of the city's business then the startling resolution of Alderman Rowe will have the unanimous support of the people.

BENTON Harbor should send a large delegation of her business men to the Kalamazoo street fair. The street fair will supercede the old-time agricultural fair and another year every city of importance will have one. Ideas to improve upon may be had by a visit to Kalamazoo.

THE military company, the Alger guards, ought to receive the hearty encouragement of the city. The military drill will remove round shoulders and narrow chests, and the company will be an honor and attraction to the city. The company is worthy of hearty public encouragement.

IN all probability it will take General Ainger two years to wind up the affairs of the First National bank. At the expiration of this term should a vacancy occur by death or otherwise in the Benton Harbor postoffice, he might be put in office as postmaster. He would be an equal candidate of Benton Harbor as Fred Woodruff is of St. Joseph. But Mr. Ainger would not accept it.

There was a riot Sunday between Syrian and Arabian members of the Syrian Roman Catholic church, Harrison street and Charles place, Chicago.

Willie, the 5-year-old son of Charles Paro, of Troy, N. H., was killed through swallowing a bee. The insect stung him internally. The child died in great agony.

William McCaleb cut the throat of his wife, Annie, in their rooms at Chicago with an ink eraser, killing her almost instantly. He then fatally wounded himself.

The second floor of the building 45 to 49 Randolph street, Chicago, has been selected as headquarters of the Illinois Christian Endeavor Union, which meets there this week.

Miss Mabel Bell, among her duties as a professional nurse, took care of Geo. Herbert Merryweather last spring at the Marion Simms Sanitarium, Chicago. Now she has agreed to take care of him the rest of her life, for they are soon to wed.

Captain Skaling, of the British barkentine St. Peter, which arrived at Halifax, N. S., partly dismantled, reports having seen an unidentified four-masted iron sailing ship go to the bottom in a hurricane Sept 8. He says it had a crew of at least fifty persons.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Drs. Garratt and Hilborn are located at Watervliet.

Be sure and ask your grocer for Robinson's cider vinegar, it is pure.

Drs. Garratt and Hilborn make all kinds of plates.

Mrs. L. M. Fitch, hair emporium. Combings made up in all the latest styles. Frizzes, puffs and switches. Parlors 7 Sweet block.

A. H. Rowe has some pure grape vinegar, it is fine, try a gallon. tf619

Our Congressman cigar 5 cents.

To Steam Laundries.

Mr. Hughes, New York, sells the portable, folding, vapor bath, free here with instructions given to purchaser. Also medicated rubber gloves, for bleaching the hands, a positive relief for rheumatic pains, soreness, stiffened and enlarged joints. 605t26

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200 tons of Grapes for which the highest market price will be paid.
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All persons knowing themselves indebted to the Benton Harbor bicycle works will please call and settle. Those having claims are asked to present them at once. H. A. FOELTZER.
September 29, 1897.

Joe Hansen, the tailor, offers a special good bargain in an all wool heavy weight imported clays worsted suit for only $22. Call and see them. 596tf

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Bay View Reading Circle.

The Bay View Reading circle will hold their first meeting for the term at the home of Mr. J. S. Barker, Monday, October 4, at 7:30 p. m. All members are requested to be in attendance.

L. G. SMITH, Secretary.

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Cistern Cleaning.

William Seel has been doing some good cleaning cisterns and has recommends from Rev. George A. Sahlin, Mayor Bell and George B. Thayer. Every one who patronizes him recommends his work. Call at 197 Riford street. 621t9

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Men's best all wool Black Clay Worsted Suits, worth $10 and $12 our price only.....$6.48

Boys' good wearing Shoes.....75c

Boys' good wearing Suits.....75c

Boys' all wool Knee Pants, fully worth 50c and 75c.....25c

Tinware, Glassware and Notions at wonderfully low prices.

Call, examine our goods and prices and be convinced.

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Still does ...DRAYING

LOCAL BREVITIES.

THE gymnastic class of the Y. M. C. A. will begin regular work tomorrow night.

THE L. O. T. M. will meet Wednesday night, Oct. 6. A full attendance is desired.

THE band concert to have been given by Frazell's band Friday evening has been postponed.

ENDERS & Young are meeting with good success at their closing out sale of the Globe stock.

THE Y. M. C. A. senate will reorganize for the winter Saturday night at 7:30. A full attendance is desired.

DURING the absence of Officers Sterns and O'Brian Night Officer Johnson will be on the day force and Officer Perry will be on nights.

THE village of Coloma is experiencing a building boom. Several new residences and two or three business houses are under way of construction.

S. B. VAN Horn commenced a new barn on his premises, corner of Ogden avenue and Division street this morning to replace the structure recently burned.

THE W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. F. E. Rice, Apple avenue, tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The program will be on the subject of "proportionate giving."

THE Current Events class last night re-engaged A. P. Cady as leader for another year. The class will meet Monday nights at Mrs. Owens' between 7 and 8 o'clock until further notice.

DR. Freemyer, assisted by Dr. Glenn of Niles and Dr. Covey of Benton Harbor performed successfully the American operation for hemorrhoids on a resident of Morton Hill this morning.

A JUDGMEMT of $298 was awarded the plaintiff in the case of Charles Kiel against Charles Christensen, heard before Justice Cady yesterday. The action was brought on a claim for labor.

AT the store of J. E. Rice is a painting executed by Mrs. A. C. Wainwright of this city that took first prize at the state fair at Grand Rapids. The picture is on exhibition in the store window of Mr. Rice.

MRS. A. C. Wainwright has a display of beautiful water color pictures in the windows of Sheffield's drug store. All of the pictures displayed took premiums at the Berrien county fair recently held at Berrien Springs.

THE W. W. T. Chautauquans, on account of a later arrangement, will hold their first meeting with Mrs. Morley on Britain avenue, Friday, October 8, 10 a. m. As this is a rally day, all members are requested to be on time.

THE twenty-second annual reunion of the First Michigan Engineers and Mechanics will occur at Lansing Thursday, Octobor 7. Of those from this city who will attend the reunion there are W. F. Kimball, Peter Gordon and Charles Godfrey.

S. A. BAILEY, president of the defunct bank, is now engaged in pushing his life insurance business. Mr. Bailey has successfully worked insurance on the side for several years and no doubt will make a success of giving the business his exclusive attention.

THE Order of Patricians are preparing to extend their business into Colorado and Indiana. If they do as well in these two states as they have in Michigan Benton Harbor cannot fail to realize a great benefit from having the home offices of this company located here.

NILES Daily Sun: The burning marshes east of Niles are causing the quail to come into the city in large numbers. It is nothing unusual to go into the back yard and there find a dozen or so of the birds occupying a bush. On Saturday last their shrill piping could be heard all over town.

EVERY parent of a pupil in the public schools should subscribe for School Dreams. It is an exhaustive epitome of the daily occurrences in the various departments of the city schools and the parents, by its aid, may keep informed on matters which will interest them if they are solicitous about their son's and daughter's education.

THE Primary Union has commenced its regular meetings again after a short vacation. The work will be taken up in a more systematic order than in previous years, the program being arranged for the whole quarter's lessons. Each month's lessons are presented by one of the members and a short time is given to discussions. Last week Mrs. Linaweaver read a very interesting paper on "Reverence to God" and this week the Union will listen to a paper on "The value of, and how to teach memory work." The Union will be glad to welcome anyone who is interested in Sunday school work or in child study. Meetings every Wednesday in the basement of the Baptist church, at 4:10 p. m.

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—Fred Cutler, of Coloma, was in the city today.

—Miss Belle Bratton, of Coloma, was in the city today.

—Rev. E. B. Patterson of Jamestown, N. Y. is in the city.

—John Thomas, jr., of Coloma, was in town yesterday on business.

—Mrs. Lillian Noe of Chicago is visiting friends here for a few days.

—Miss Hester Dalrymple went to Chicago last night on business.

—Clarence Day, who has been sick three weeks, is recovering his health.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Van Horn and Miss Helen Ogden will leave tonight for Chicago.

—Fred Vandenberg and wife left this evening for a visit of two weeks with friends in Grand Haven.

—Miss May Fisher and mother, of Fair Plain, returned this morning from a visit to friends in Chicago.

—Mrs. C. F. Prichard left this morning for Lawrence where she will visit her parents for a few weeks.

—Mrs. Irving Pearl, who has been dangerously ill at the home of her mother on High street, is improving.

—Dr. John D. Cosford and wife and Miss Anderson, of Mancelona, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wilcox.

—Miss Kate Mulcahy, who has been visiting friends in Eau Claire and Dowagiac, has returned to her home in this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. Shireman of Silver Lake, Ind., are visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. S. C. Cuffel, Baird street.

—M. S. Crocker, formerly of this city but now manager of the Commercial hotel, of Kalamazoo, was in the city on business today.

—Capt. McIntosh left this morning for his home in Detroit. Engineer McClure, of the City of Chicago, will remain here a month yet.

—Will Cameron, who spent the summer in the culinary department on the steamer City of Milwaukee, entered Benton Harbor college for the winter season.

—Rev. George A. Sahlin, S. M. Austin and Miss Ethel Hudson left this morning for Lansing to attend the state convention of Universalists. They will return Thursday.

—Benjamin D. McDonell, of this city, has secured the contract for the construction of a trestle on the line of the Maple Leaf railway near St. Joseph, Mo. Mr. McDonell will leave tonight to begin the work.

—Dr. J. J. Fabry, Chief of Police Sterns, Officer O'Brien and H. E. Curtis left early this morning for Grand Rapids where they were summoned as witnesses in the case of the forger who raised money here on fruit checks last summer.

—L. P. Husen and wife called on friends in this city yesterday enroute to Oconomowac, Wis., to visit an old time friend and traveling companion, Fred B. Brown, with whom in '91 Mr. Husen spent several months traveling through Germany and France. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Husen will visit friends in Chicago a few days.

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Their First Program.

The Ciceronian order of Benton Harbor college will hold its first public meeting this evening at 8 o'clock with the following program:

Quotations.....Favorite Authors
Roll Call.
Inaugural Address—The President.....
John Sterling, jr.
Vocal Solo—"Because I Love You Dear,".....
Miss Helen Webb.
Three Minutes Talk.....
Mr. M. Yore.
Piano Solo.....Selected
Miss Collins.
Reading.....Selected
Mr. Samuel Bailey.
Medely.....
Members of Mrs. Webb's chorus class.
Tabula.....
Miss Zebelle and George Edgcumbe.

Fine exhibit of oil and water color paintings by local artists this week, including the painting by Mrs. A. C. Wainwright, which took the first premium at the state fair at Grand Rapids, at Judson E. Rice's, 156 Pipestone. These pictures are for sale.

Suits to Order for $15.

Joe Hansen, the tailor, is now prepared to meet the wants of the people. He is making elegant, all wool suits guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, for only $15, and pants of the same material for $3.50. These goods are not a cheap quality, poorly made and common trimmings, but are our regular former priced $18 suits of which we have had no one complain. If I cannot satisfy you you need not take them.

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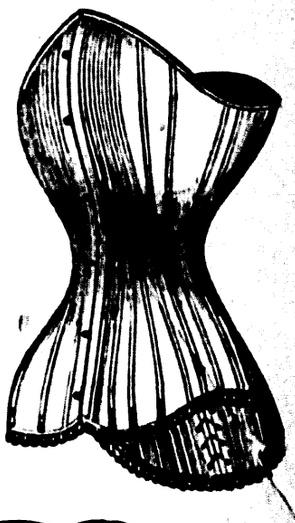

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RESPECT DUE TO AGE

REV. DR. TALMAGE ON HOW TO TREAT OLD PEOPLE.

He First Considers Parental Attachment and Then the Duty of the Young to the Old—An Eloquent and Forceful Plea For Filial Affection.

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WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Dr. Talmage, in this sermon shows us a scene of tenderness and reverence and tells us how we ought to treat old people. His text is Genesis xlv, 28, "I will go and see him before I die."

Jacob had long since passed the hundred year milestone. In those times people were distinguished for longevity. In the centuries after persons lived to great age. Galen, the most celebrated physician of his time, took so little of his own medicine that he lived to 140 years. A man of undoubted veracity on the witness stand in England swore that he remembered an event 150 years before. Lord Bacon speaks of a countess who had cut three sets of teeth and died at 140 years. Joseph Crele of Pennsylvania lived 140 years. In 1857 a book was printed containing the names of 37 persons who lived 140 years and the names of 11 persons who lived 150 years.

Jacob, the Shepherd.

Among the grand old people of whom we have record was Jacob, the shepherd of the text. But he had a bad lot of boys. They were jealous and ambitious and every way unprincipled. Joseph, however, seemed to be an exception, but he had been gone many years, and the probability was that he was dead. As sometimes now in a house you will find kept at the table a vacant chair, a plate, a knife, a fork, for some deceased member of the family, so Jacob kept in his heart a place for his beloved Joseph. There sits the old man, the flock of 140 years in their flight having alighted long enough to leave the marks of their claw on forehead and cheek and temple. His long beard snows down over his chest. His eyes are somewhat dim, and he can see farther when they are closed than when they are open, for he can see clear back into the time when beautiful Rachel, his wife, was living, and his children shook the oriental abode with their merriment.

The centenarian is sitting dreaming over the past when he hears a wagon rumbling to the front door. He gets up and goes to the door to see who has arrived, and his long absent sons from Egypt come in and announce to him that Joseph, instead of being dead, is living in an Egyptian palace, with all the investiture of prime minister, next to the king in the mightiest empire of all the world! The news was too sudden and too glad for the old man, and his cheeks whiten, and he has a dazed look and his staff falls out of his hand and he would have dropped had not the sons caught him and led him to a lounge and put cold water on his face and fanned him a little.

In that half delirium the old man mumbles something about his son Joseph. He says: "You don't mean Joseph, do you? My dear son who has been dead so long? You don't mean Joseph, do you?" But after they had fully resuscitated him, and the news was confirmed, the tears begin their winding way down the crossroads of the wrinkles, and the sunken lips of the old man quiver and he brings his bent fingers together as he says: "Joseph is yet alive. I will go and see him before I die."

It did not take the old man a great while to get ready, I warrant you. He put on the best clothes that the shepherd's wardrobe could afford. He got into the wagon, and though the aged are cautious and like to ride slow, the wagon did not get along fast enough for this old man, and when the wagon with the old man met Joseph's chariot coming down to meet him and Joseph got out of the chariot and got into the wagon and threw his arms around his father's neck, it was an antithesis of royalty and rusticity, of simplicity and pomp, of filial affection and paternal love, which leaves us so much in doubt whether we had better laugh or cry, that we do both. So Jacob kept the resolution of the text—"I will go and see him before I die."

Parental Love.

What a strong and unfailing thing is parental attachment! Was it not almost time for Jacob to forget Joseph? The hot suns of many summers had blazed on the heath; the river Nile had overflowed and receded, overflowed and receded again and again; the seed had been sown and the harvests reaped; stars rose and set; years of plenty and years of famine had passed on, but the love of Jacob for Joseph in my text is overwhelmingly dramatic. Oh, that is a cord that is not snapped, though pulled on by many decades! Though when the little child expired the parents may not have been more than 25 years of age, and now they are 75, yet the vision of the cradle, and the childish face, and the first utterances of the infantile lips are fresh today, in spite of the passage of a half century. Joseph was as fresh in Jacob's memory as ever, though at 17 years of age the boy had disappeared from the old homestead. I found in our family record the story of an infant that had died 50 years before, and I said to my parents, "What is this record and what does it mean?" Their chief answer was a long, deep sigh. It was yet to them a very tender sorrow. What does that all mean? Why, it means our children departed are ours yet, and that cord of attachment reaching across the years will hold us until it brings us together in the palace, as Jacob and Joseph were brought together. That is one thing that makes old people die happy. They realize it is reunion with those from whom they have long been separated.

I am often asked as pastor—and every pastor is asked the question—"Will my children be children in heaven and forever children?" Well, there was no doubt a great change in Joseph from the time Jacob lost him and the time when Jacob found him—between the boy of 17 years of age and the man in midlife, his forehead developed with the great business of state, but Jacob was glad to get back Joseph anyhow, and it did not make much difference to the old man whether the boy looked older or looked younger. And it will be enough joy for that parent if he can get back that son, that daughter, at the gate of heaven, whether the departed loved one come a cherub or in full grown angelhood.

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[illegible] Joseph, anything [illegible] palace, and your child will be your child notwithstanding all the raining splendors of everlasting noon. What a thrilling visit was that of the old shepherd to the prime minister Joseph! I see the old countryman seated in the palace looking around at the mirrors and the fountains and the carved pillars, and oh, how he wishes that Rachel, his wife, was alive and she could have come with him to see their son in his great house. "Oh," says the old man within himself, "I do wish Rachel could be here to see all this!"

A Blessed Home.

I visited at the farmhouse of the father of Millard Fillmore when the son was president of the United States, and the octogenarian farmer entertained me until 11 o'clock at night telling me what great things he saw in his son's house at Washington and what Daniel Webster said to him, and how grandly Millard treated his father in the White House. The old man's face was illumined with the story until almost the midnight. He had just been visiting his son at the capital. And I suppose it was something of the same joy that thrilled the heart of the old shepherd as he stood in the palace of the prime minister. It is a great day with you when your old parents come to visit you. Your little children stand around with great wide open eyes, wondering how anybody could be so old. The parents cannot stay many days, for they are a little restless, and especially at nightfall, because they sleep better in their own bed, but while they tarry you somehow feel there is a benediction in every room in the house. They are a little feeble, and you make it as easy as you can for them, and you realize they will probably not visit you very often—perhaps never again. You go to their room after they have retired at night to see if the lights are properly put out, for the old people understand candle and lamp better than the modern apparatus for illumination. In the morning, with real interest in their health, you ask how they rested last night.

Joseph, in the historical scene of the text, did not think any more of his father than you do of your parents. The probability is before they leave your house they half spoil your children with kindnesses. Grandfather and grandmother are more lenient and indulgent to your children than they ever were with you. And what wonders of revelation in the bombazine pocket of the one and the sleeve of the other! Blessed is that home where Christian parents come to visit! Whatever may have been the style of the architecture when they came, it is a palace before they leave. If they visit you 50 times, the two most memorable visits will be the first and the last. Those two pictures will hang in the hall of your memory while memory lasts, and you will remember just how they looked, and where they sat, and what they said, and at what figure of the carpet, and at what doorsill they parted with you, giving you the final goodby. Do not be embarrassed if your father come to town and he have the manners of the shepherd, and if your mother come to town and there be in her hat no sign of costly millinery. The wife of the Emperor Theodosius said a wise thing when she said, "Husbands, remember what you lately were and remember what you are, and be thankful."

Kindness to Parents.

By this time you all notice what kindly provision Joseph made for his father Jacob. Joseph did not say: "I can't have the old man around this place. How clumsy he would look climbing up these marble stairs and walking over those mosaics! Then he would be putting his hands upon some of these frescoes. People would wonder where that old greenhorn came from. He would shock all the Egyptian court with his manners at table. Besides that, he might get sick on my hands, and he might be querulous and he might talk to me as though I were only a boy, when I am the second man in all the realm. Of course he must not suffer, and if there is famine in his country—and I hear there is—I will send him some provisions, but I can't take a man from Padanaram and introduce him into this polite Egyptian court. What a nuisance it is to have poor relations!"

Joseph did not say that, but he rushed out to meet his father with perfect abandon of affection, and brought him up to the palace and introduced him to the emperor and provided for all the rest of the father's days, and nothing was too good for old man while living, and when he was dead, Joseph, with military escort, took his father's remains to the family cemetery. Would God all children were as kind to their parents!

If the father have large property, and he be wise enough to keep it in his own name, he will be respected by the heirs, but how often it is when the son finds his father in famine, as Joseph found Jacob in famine, the young people make it very hard for the old man. They are so surprised he eats with a knife instead of a fork. They are chagrined at his antediluvian habits. They are provoked because he cannot hear as well as he used to, and when he asks it over again, and the son has to repeat it, he bawls in the old man's ear, "I hope you hear that!" How long he must wear the old coat or the old hat before they get him a new one! How chagrined they are at his independence of the English grammar! How long he hangs on! Seventy years and not gone yet! Seventy-five years and not gone yet! Eighty years and not gone yet! Will he ever go? They think it of no use to have a doctor in his last sickness, and go up to the drug store and get something that makes him worse and economize on a coffin, and beat the undertaker down to the last point, giving a note for the reduced amount, which they never pay! I have officiated at obsequies of aged people where the family have been so inordinately resigned to Providence that I felt like taking my text from Proverbs, "The eye that mocketh at his father and refuseth to obey its mother, the ravens of the valley shall pick it out, and the young eagles shall eat it." In other words, such an ingrate ought to have a flock of crows for pallbearers! I congratulate you if you have the honor of providing for aged parents. The blessing of the Lord God of Joseph and Jacob will be on you.

A Share In Success.

I rejoice to remember that, though my father lived in a plain house the most of his days, he died in a mansion provided by the filial piety of a son who had achieved a fortune. There the octogenarian sat, and the servants waited on him, and there were plenty of horses and plenty of carriages to convey him and a bower in which to sit on long summer afternoons, dreaming over the past, and there was not a [illegible] where he was not welcome [illegible] instruments [illegible] him, and when his [illegible]

[illegible] probability is that the grandpa day [illegible] culated [illegible] your fortune. Give them a Christian percentage of kindly consideration. Let Joseph divide with Jacob the pasture fields of Goshen and the glories of the Egyptian court.

And here I would like to sing the praises of the sisterhood who remained unmarried that they might administer to aged parents. The brutal world calls these self sacrificing ones peculiar or angular, but if you had had as many annoyances as they have had Xantippe would have been an angel compared with you. It is easier to take care of five rollicking, romping children than of one childish old man. Among the best women of our land are those who allowed the bloom of life to pass away while they were caring for their parents. While other maidens were asleep they were soaking the old man's feet or tucking up the covers around the invalid mother. While other maidens were in the cotillion they were dancing attendance upon rheumatism and spreading plasters for the lame back of the septuagenarian and heating catnip tea for insomnia.

In almost every circle of our kindred there has been some queen of self sacrifice to whom jeweled hand after jeweled hand was offered in marriage, but who staid on the old place because of the sense of filial obligation until the health was gone and the attractiveness of personal presence had vanished. Brutal society may call such a one by a nickname. God calls her daughter, and heaven calls her saint, and I call her domestic martyr. A half dozen ordinary women have not as much nobility as could be found in the smallest joint of the little finger of her left hand. Although the world has stood 6,000 years, this is the first apotheosis of maidenhood, although in the long line of those who have declined marriage that they might be qualified for some especial mission are the names of Anna Ross, and Margaret Breckinridge, and Mary Shelton, and Anna Etheridge, and Georgiana Willetts, the angels of the battlefields of Fair Oaks and Lookout Mountain and Chancellorsville and Cooper Shop hospital, and though single life has been honored by the fact that the three grandest men of the Bible—John and Paul and Christ—were celibates.

The Maiden Aunt.

Let the ungrateful world sneer at the maiden aunt, but God has a throne burnished for her arrival, and on one side of that throne in heaven there is a vase containing two jewels, the one brighter than the Kohinoor of London tower, and the other larger than any diamond ever found in the districts of Golconda—the one jewel by the lapidary of the palace cut with the words, "Inasmuch as ye did it to father," the other jewel by the lapidary of the palace cut with the words, "Inasmuch as ye did it to mother." "Over the Hills to the Poorhouse" is the exquisite ballad of Will Carleton, who found an old woman who had been turned off by her prospered sons, but I thank God I may find in my text, "Over the hills to the palace."

As if to disgust us with unfilial conduct, the Bible presents us with the story of Micah, who stole the 1,100 shekels from his mother, and the story of Absalom, who tried to dethrone his father. But all history is beautiful with stories of filial fidelity. Epaminondas, the warrior, found his chief delight in reciting to his parents his victories. There goes Æneas from burning Troy, on his shoulders Anchises, his father. The Athenians punished with death any unfilial conduct. There goes beautiful Ruth escorting venerable Naomi across the desert amid the howling of the wolves and the barking of the jackals. John Lawrence, burned at the stake in Colchester, was cheered in the flames by his children, who said, "O God, strengthen thy servant and keep thy promise!" And Christ in the hour of excruciation provided for his old mother. Jacob kept his resolution, "I will go and see him before I die," and a little while after we find them walking the tesselated floor of the palace, Jacob and Joseph, the prime minister proud of the shepherd.

Joseph and Jacob.

I may say in regard to the most of you that your parents have probably visited you for the last time, or will soon pay you such a visit, and I have wondered if they will ever visit you in the king's palace. "Oh," you say, "I am in the pit of sin!" Joseph was in the pit. "Oh," you say, "I am in the prison of mine iniquity!" Joseph was once in prison. "Oh," you say, "I didn't have a fair chance. I was denied maternal kindness!" Joseph was denied maternal attendance. "Oh," you say, "I am far away from the land of my nativity!" Joseph was far from home. "Oh," you say, "I have been betrayed and exasperated!" Did not Joseph's brethren sell him to a passing Ishmaelitish caravan? Yet God brought him to that emblazoned residence, and if you will trust his grace in Jesus Christ, you, too, will be empalaced. Oh, what a day that will be when the old folks come from an adjoining mansion in heaven, and find you amid the alabaster pillars of the throneroom and living with the king! They are coming up the steps now, and the epauleted guard of the palace rushes in and says, "Your father's coming, your mother's coming!" And when under the arches of precious stones and on the pavement of porphyry you greet each other, the scene will eclipse the meeting on the Goshen highway, when Joseph and Jacob fell on each other's neck and wept a good while.

But, oh, how changed the old folks will be! Their cheek smoothed into the flesh of a little child. Their stooped posture lifted into immortal symmetry. Their foot now so feeble, then with the sprightliness of a bounding roe, as they shall say to you, "A spirit passed this way from earth and told us that you were wayward and dissipated after we left the world, but you have repented, our prayer has been answered and you are here, and as we used to visit you on earth before we died now we visit you in your new home after our ascension." And father will say, "Mother, don't you see Joseph is yet alive?" and mother will say, "Yes, father, Joseph is yet alive." And then they will talk over their earthly anxieties in regard to you, and the midnight supplications in your behalf, and they will recite to each other the old Scripture passage with which they used to cheer their staggering faith, "I will be a God to thee and thy seed after thee." Oh, the palace, the palace, the palace! That is what Richard Baxter called "The Saints' Everlasting Rest." That is what John Bunyan called the "Celestial City." That is Young's "Night Thoughts" turned into morning exultations. That is Gray's "Elegy In a Churchyard" turned to resurrection spectacle. That is the "Cotter's Saturday Night" exchanged for the cotter's Sabbath morning. That is the shepherd of Salisbury plains amid the flocks on the hills of heaven. That is the famine street Bethlehem turned into the rich pasture land of Goshen.

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THE EVENING NEWS

POLICY OF SAGASTA.

Wherein It Will Differ as to Cuba from That of the Late Canovas del Castillo.

AUTONOMY OFFERED WILL BE REAL

While That Arranged for by the Conservatives Gave a Manacled Sort of Home Rule—Hint That the Change of Policy in Spain Has Probably Averted Trouble with Us—Gomez and Palma To Be Reckoned with in a Settlement.

Washington, Oct. 5.—One result of the formation of a Sagasta cabinet in Spain, it is believed, will be the granting of amnesty to most if not all of the American prisoners held in Cuba, and the pardon of many Cubans condemned to imprisonment in the island of Ceuta. Pending the completion of the Sagasta cabinet there has been no official intimation that such action would be taken, but it is said to be a natural and necessary part of the new Spanish policy involving the withdrawal of General Weyler and the adoption of more conciliatory plans. The Competitor prisoners, it is expected, will be released early, and Miss Cisneros also. Concerning pending claims, such as that in the case of Dr. Ruiz, it is said that a commission probably will be proposed to deal with all claims arising during the rebellion, and there are intimations that steps toward the creation of such a commission are now under way.

Were Thinking of a Row with Spain.

Although there is continued reticence at the state department concerning Spanish-Cuban affairs it is understood that the government has been informed that Spain will offer autonomy to Cuba similar to that enjoyed by Canada, and in administration circles the prevalent opinion seems to be that if a full measure of real autonomy is offered it should be accepted by the Cubans. The incoming of the Sagasta cabinet is welcomed by the administration, which several weeks ago was apprehensive of a possible early disturbance of our friendly relations with Spain. The statement attributed to the new premier that he would favor the largest measure of autonomy has directed attention to the past efforts toward autonomy.

Conservative Home Rule a Fraud.

Those offered by the Conservative cabinet and made known to the United States through the Spanish minister, Dupuy de Lome, contemplated a council of administration elected in part by the Cubans, which was to have an advisory power in shaping the affairs of the island. This plan has taken the form of a lengthy decree, which has been already gazetted, although it has never been put into effect in Cuba owing to the disturbed conditions. The objection found to this plan was that while it was in name autonomy it did not give real home rule, as the Cuban council was not to be a legislative body with final powers of making laws, but merely an advisory council. In contrast with this, it is said, the Liberal plan of autonomy—as desired by the Autonomist party of Cuba—contemplates a colonial parliament or legislature, with final powers of law-making, save the usual power of veto preserved in all forms of constitutional government.

Capote and Palma Do Not Agree.

This would be on the lines of the home rule operating in Australia and Canada, and the latter countries were cited as examples of complete autonomy by the Spanish statesmen. Castelar, when autonomy was first suggested for the island. Such a measure of autonomy, it is said, would commend much support in Cuba among the substantial elements there, including the Autonomist party. In this connection it is understood that the newly chosen president of the insurgents, Mendez Capote, is a man of conservative tendencies, and during a visit to Washington some months ago is said to have expressed views favorable to a close of hostilities on some fair basis of compromise. At the same time the junta in this country and Gomez in Cuba are represented as utterly opposed to anything except absolute independence, and this condition of things must be reckoned with.

NEW CABINET IS ANNOUNCED.

Prediction by a London Diplomat—Paris Figaro Distrusts Uncle Sam.

Madrid, Oct. 5.—The new ministry is constituted as follows: Sagasta, president of the council of ministers; Gullon, foreign affairs; Groizard, justice; General Correa, war; Admiral Bermejo, marine; Puigcerver, finance; Capdepon, interior; Count Xiguena, public works; Moret, colonies. The ministry, after an informal meting, proceeded to the palace and took the oath of office.

The cabinet is regarded as fairly strong, although some disappointment is felt that Senor Gamazo, Senor Maura, Senator Armijo and others who had been looked upon as probable members are not included. It is understood that Senor Maura, who was the author of the first Cuban home rule bill, felt that he could not act satisfactorily with Senor Moret, while Senator Gamazo, who is a relative of Senor Maura, feared that his presence might imply a leaning toward the Maura scheme of reforms.

London, Oct. 5.—A leading London diplomat, discussing the crisis in Spanish affairs, said to a representative of the Associated Press: "I believe the change in the Spanish cabinet will result in the recall of Captain General Weyler from Cuba and the substitution of Marshal Blanco for him, because Sagasta personally dislikes Weyler. Sagasta will probably discuss Cuba with General Woodford in a more conciliatory manner than his predecessor, but he is not likely to do more than that. Sagasta has been informed an authority that the Cubans will accept autonomy and the withdrawal of the Spanish troops, although they have protested that they will not do so; but I doubht if Spain will consent to these measures."

Paris, Oct. 5.—The Figaro has an article from a special correspondent on the mission of General Stewart L. Woodford, the United States minister to Spain. The writer says the attitude of General Woodford has thus far been irreproachable, and after reiterating the supposed views of the United States, he concludes: [illegible] responsibility is heavy [illegible]

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Cubans the interference of the United States, as the latter would thereby acquire a kind of right to control the affairs of the island. It is, moreover, impossible to mistake the aims of American diplomacy, which desires to gradually detach Cuba from Spain. The latter is entitled to the solicitude of Europe, who is herself threatened in regard to her colonial security."

REPORT OF THE YELLOW FEVER.

Very Few Deaths and the Usual Record of New Cases.

New Orleans, Oct. 5.—The state board of health's yellow fever bulletin. "Cases of yellow fever yesterday, 24; deaths, none; total cases to date, 341; total deaths, 36. Six days have passed since Ocean Springs has had any yellow fever.

Edwards, Miss., Oct. 5.—There have been reported eighteen new cases; ten cases seriously ill, two with black vomit; two deaths.

Mobile, Ala., Oct. 5.—Seven new cases and one death were reported for yesterday.

Biloxi, Miss., Oct. 5.—The new cases, 11; no deaths.

McHenry, Miss., Oct. 5.—Three new cases here yesterday. Sunday night an unsuccessful attempt was made by some unknown party to assassinate W. C. Wise, who is under arrest for violating quarantine regulations.

Nutmeg State Voters Must Be Learned.

New Haven, Conn., Oct. 5.—Connecticut's "little town" elections were held yesterday, and while in some sections of the state there were surprising turnovers the results show that the change from the vote of a year ago is not great. With all but a few isolated towns heard from the indications are that the Republicans generally held their own, made enough slight gains in numerous places to counterbalance the larger Democratic gains in a few towns. The proposed constitutional amendment which provides that the voter must be able to read any portion of the constitution and statutes of the state and must also be able to write, was passed overwhelmingly.

Boston Has the Pennant.

Boston, Oct. 5.—The Boston Base Ball club received the pennant as National League champions at the Tremont theater last night. Mayor Quincy made the presentation speech and Manager Selee accepted the pennant in behalf of the club, the members of which, together with the Baltimore team, occupied all the boxes of the theater.

Cuban Report of the Capture.

New York, Oct. 5.—General Calixto Garcia's official report of the capture of Victoria de las Tunas by the Cuban forces under his command was received yesterday by the Cuban junta. It denies the Spanish stories of atrocities committed by the Cubans at that place.

Riot Among Striking Coal Miners.

St. Louis, Oct. 5.—A special to The Post-Dispatch from Edwardsville, Ills., says that a riot has broken out among the striking miners there, and a militia company has been ordered to the scene from Belleville.

Brewing Company Fails.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 5.—The Phoenix Brewing company, one of the oldest brewing companies in the city, assigned yesterday to C. C. Vogt with liabilities of $250,000 and assets slightly in excess of this sum.

Funeral of General Neal Dow.

Portland, Me., Oct. 5.—The funeral services of General Neal Dow will be held at the Second Parish church in this city at 2:30 p. m. today.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

The new Greek cabinet has been formally installed in office.

It is also said that ex-President Cleveland wants to sit in the now vacant seat in the New Jersey court of errors.

H. Moan, a Rockdale, Wis., farmer, is in a critical condition from the tines of a falling pitchfork penetrating his side and lungs.

Joe Blackburn, an old settler near Gordon, Douglas county, Wis., was found dead at his door by Indians. A neighbor is suspected.

Wisconsin appears to have the least mortgaged indebtedness on its farms of any state in the west or northwest, being less than $1,500,000.

Pittsburg base ball club has offered Manager Ned Hanlon, of Baltimore, $12,000 a year and an interest in the club to manage the Pirates.

Lycurgus Davenport Palmer, founder of the Muscatine lodge, the first Masonic organization in Iowa, died yesterday at St. Paul, aged 77 years.

James Miles, of Milwaukee, it is alleged, went to the home of his divorced wife in Evansville, Wis., while she was [illegible]

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Plum, 1st class..... .12c; 1st class med. 10c
Cherry, 1st class..... 8c; 1st class med...6c
Peach, 1st class..... 5c; 1st class med...4c
Peach, light.....2½c; 1st class med...4c
Quince, 1st class.....12c
London red raspberries.....$20 per thousand
Miller red raspberries.....$10 per thousand

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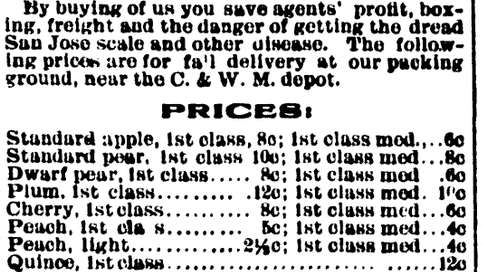

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8:30	1:25	11:30	Grand Rapids	1:55	10:25	6:10
11:55	3:50	3.00	Benton H'rbor	10:20	8:05	3:00
12:05	3:57	3:15	St. Joseph	10:10	7:50	2:50
3:10	6:50	6:40	Chicago	7:20	5:15	9:20
p.m.	p.m.	a.m.		a.m.	p.m.	p.m.

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Taking effect Sept. 28, 1897

South bound. No. 15	No. 3		Stations	North bound. No. 6	No. 14
p m	a m			p m	a m
5 15	10 45		St. Joseph	2 15	9 15
5 45	11 08		Baroda	1 51	8 42
6 12	11 29		Galien	1 30	8 16
7 00	12 08		South Bend	12 53	7 30
	2 20		Logansport	10 36	
	5 45		Indianapolis	7 10	
	6 35		Terre Haute	6 20	
	p m			a m	

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Effective Monday, October 4, 1897.

Going South No. 3 Daily Ex. Sun.	No. 1 Daily Ex. Sun.	Mls from B. H.	Stations	Going North No. 2 Daily ex. Sun.	No. 4 Daily Ex. Sun.
p m	a m			a m	p m
4 20	6 45		Lv Ben. H'rbor Ar	11 10	7 10
*4 3[illegible]	*7 00	8.2	Royalton	*10 52	*6 52
*4 46	*7 07	11.4	Hinchman	*10 44	*6 44
4 50	7 20	16 5	Berrien Springs	10 21	6 21
*5 09	*7 27	19 5	Oakland	*10 21	*6 21
5 30	7 55	27.0	Ar Buchanan Lv	10 00	6 00

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The latter race will be a hot contest, both riders being strong and very evenly matched. Plummer has won a series of victories over local riders and it is hinted that he will meet his Waterloo Saturday.

CONVENIENT QUARTERS.

Crisp & Barnes Moving in Basement of the Newland Block.

Crisp & Barnes, the new butter and egg firm which recently began business in one of the Newland stores are preparing to move into the basement of the store they now occupy.

The new room is being fitted up especially for their business. In the front part will be their office and sales room while in the rear will be placed their cold storage.

The only difficulty experienced by the firm thus far is their inability to buy the goods.

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THE WHEAT MARKET.

CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—Comparative closing prices on wheat for two days show a stationary market.

	Oct.. 4	Oct. 2
Wheat—Oct	87⅝	87⅝
December	89⅝	89⅝
May	89⅝	88⅝
Corn—October	27¾	27¼
December	29¼	29⅜
May	33¼	32¾
Oats—October	18⅝	18⅝
December	19⅝	19⅝
May	22⅝	22¼

Notice.

Charles Guy has sold his barber shop in the Yore block to John Slater, formerly of this city, who has been in Chicago for some eight years. Mr. Slater needs no introduction as he is well known here. We bespeak for him a good work in his new field.

Old papers for sale at this office.

PUBLIC WILL BE ADMITTED.

Will be Allowed to Witness the Alger Guard Drills Next Month.

Tomorrow night the Alger Guard will commence their regular drills and it is their intention to perfect themselves as near as possible in the work they have already done. As they have now leased Conkey's hall they will immediately take up squad, platoon and battalion drill, which will be interesting in the extreme.

Those who have never witnessed this new military company drill will be surprised at the work they have accomplished in the short time they have been drilling.

Most of our best young men are members of this organization and it not only affords them the best kind of recreation but the setting up exercises given during the drills has done more towards the muscular development of the young men, giving them a soldierly appearance, than anything else that could possibly be done in this line. Every physician in the city advocates the benefits derived from these drills.

After November 1 citizens who wish to visit the drill room can do so by securing permission from the commissioned officers of the company. Adjutant General Irish is expected here soon to look the boys over.

It is rather discouraging to see what little interest our citizens take in this company that many towns would be proud to support, when these boys have supported themselves. Some towns know when they have a good thing.

MAP OF ALASKA.

Benton Harbor Company Giving Them to Interested Parties.

The Benton Harbor and Alaska Mining and Investment company is presenting persons interested in the subject a copy of the latest and best map of Alaska, together with a prospectus of the company.

Shares in the company are selling every day and the indication is that within the next ten days the entire number put on the market will be sold.

It has been frequently stated that Frank Phiscator, the Baroda gold king, had not secured a dollar's worth of Klondike gold but that he was merely the hired agent of some transportation company to drum up passengers for Alaska. However, in the last ten days Mr. Phiscator has paid out in cold cash about $10,000 for farms in this county that he has purchased for his relatives.

A large stock of portrait frames in new and elegant designs at Judson E. Rice's, 156 Pipestone.

BANK NOTICE.

Treasury Department,
Office of the Comptroller of the Currency,
Washington, D. C., September 21, 1897.

Notice is hereby given to all persons who may have claims against "The First National Bank of Benton Harbor, Michigan," that the same must be presented to Daniel B. Ainger, receiver with the legal proof thereof, within three months from this date, or they may be disallowed.

GEORGE M. COFFIN,
Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency.

IN THREE ROUNDS.

Tom Jeffries and Jack Hurley Entertain Their Friends.

Yesterday afternoon the dock hands assembled on the marsh and raised a purse of $15 or $20 to see a prize fight between Tom Jeffries and Jack Hurley, the former being an old timer in the ring.

Jeffries completely knocked Hurley out in the third round.

GROCERY CHANGE.

D. W. Downey Buys the Stock of Rusch & Hartlerode.

Rusch & Hartlerode, who have conducted a grocery store in the Stevens block for some time past, sold the stock and fixtures today to D. W. Downey.

It is understood that Mr. Downey will move the stock to a new location and engage actively in business.

Messrs. Rusch and Hartlerode have not yet decided what they will do but expect to remain residents of the city.

DEER LICENSES.

Hunters Making Their Annual Visit to the County Clerk.

The annual visits made by deer hunters to the office of the county clerk to procure licenses have begun. The first license issued this year was obtained by Mark Wolcott of Watervliet. Jacob Muth and William Ray, also of Watervliet, have procured licenses. The licenses are sold at 75 cents.

And Some Governor Will Pardon Him.

Crystal Falls, Mich., Oct. 5.—Peter Bons, the murderer and ravisher of Pearl Morrison, went before Judge Stone yesterday and pleaded guilty. He was given a life sentence at hard labor and solitary confinement.

Mint to Coin Silver Dollars.

San Francisco, Oct. 5.—As a result of the rivival in trade the mint in this city will at once resume the coinage of silver dollars, in accordance with instructions received from Washington.

Meilhac's Advice.

Somebody once wrote to the late Henri Meilhac to ask his advice as to how to become a dramatic author. "It is a difficult career, and the trade is not easy," wrote back Meilhac. "Above all, it needs success. Yes, success is the thing if you want to have talent."

It is claimed in behalf of the Bermudas that the complexions of the natives are the finest in the world. This seems to be a clever advertisement of the Bermuda onion, of which 17,000,000 pounds are exported annually.

The best, Our Congressman and Columbia cigar 5 cents. tf619

Justice Baldwin married an Indiana couple this morning, both of whom are far advanced on life's highway. Peter Ancinger, the groom, is 60 years old and his bride is three years his junior. They live in South Bend.

C. M. Menold made a business trip to Dowagiac yesterday.

Harry Stone is in South Haven on business.

The degree team of the local tent of Maccabees will go to Watervliet Thursday night to conduct the initiation of several candidates.

The city council will meet tonight.

The board of public works, at a meeting held last evening, decided to employ Consulting Engineer Powell, of Chicago, to confer with in regard to the new sewer.

Marriage Licenses.

John Willis, 33, Coloma; Blanche Ostrom, 17, same.

Peter Ancinger, 60, Indiana: Eva Van Dreesch, 57: South Bend.

Lowell S. Guy, 26, Coloma; Helen Grace Teeter, 25, same.

John L. Knight, 22, Berrien township; Laura R. Penwell, 19, same.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

Probate Court.

License issued to Conrad Kammerer and James A. Canavan, executors of the estate of Jane E. Martin, deceased. to sell certain real estate.

Sarah Dunbar appointed administratrix of the estate of Lyman Dunbar, deceased.

Petition filed for the appointment of Enos Holmes as administrator of the estate of Almeda Morley, deceased. Hearing November 1.

Petition filed for the probate of the will of John Stemm, deceased, and asking that Henry Stemm be appointed executor. Hearing November 1.

Petition filed for the admission of Hettie M. Burrows to the Michigan asylum as an insane person. Hearing October 11.

HINTS TO BARGAIN SEEKERS.

Business Announcements That Pay to Consider.

Chester C. Sweet has just received a carload of Eclipse heating stoves and is in a position to give the public bargains.

Rowe Brothers, the cash meat men, give the public a short talk on how to save the pennies today. By following their price list of meats you will be dollars ahead in the spring.

C. & J. Scherer, proprietors of the White House store, say they are better satisfied with their stock this year than ever before. The styles are the latest and the goods can be sold at a price within the reach of all. They will hold their annual fall cloak opening next Monday at which time a representative of a large manufacturing concern will show his entire line. See their new announcement and price list in today's paper.

The ladies of the Congregational church will give a chicken pie supper at the church next Tuesday evening. Supper served from 5 to 7 o'clock. All are cordially invited to the feast.

Menu—Chicken pie, mashed potatoes, gravy, cabbage salad, sliced tomatoes, pickles, jelly, bread, white and brown; cake, chocolate, white and caramel; tea and coffee. Price of supper 15 cents.

Mrs. Frazell will give free instructions in embroidery work Tuesdays of each week until Nov. 1. 616tf.

Try one of Our Congressman cigars 5 cents.

Grape vinegar is the best for pickles and preserves. You can get it at Rowe's.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.

Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail druggists refund money.

One Way Settlers' Fares.

On the first and third Tuesday of each month the Vandalia line will sell one way tickets to points in the south and southeast at very low rates. For rates and full information call or address

FRANK R. HALE, agent,
St. Joseph, Mich.

Hunters' Rates.

The Vandalia line will sell hunters tickets good for thirty days at very low rates to points in Arkansas, Louisiana, Tennessee and Mississippi. For rates and full information, call on or address

FRANK R. HALE, agent.
St. Joseph, Mich.

Big Four Excursions.

One fare for round trip to Indianapolis, Ind. Tickets on sale October 13, 14 and 18, good returning October 23.

One way settlers' rates to southern points on sale September 21, October 5 and 19.

Very low round trip tickets to Nashville, Tenn., account exposition.

For further information apply to
L. G. SMITH, agent.

$10.05 to Nashville and Return.

October 6 the Vandalia line will sell tickets from St. Joseph to Nashville, Tenn., and return for $10.05, account Michigan Day at Tennessee centennial.

FRANK R. HALE, agent,
St. Joseph, Mich.

Columbia and Our Congressman cigars, 5 cents.

Young & Harper, tailors and clothiers for custom made suits. Note prices $18 suits for $14, imported clay worsted suits $20. Custom made pants $3. Until further notice. 617t6

Columbia cigars 5 cents.

Apples Wanted.

The Robinson Cider & Vinegar company is ready for its annual grind of apples and will pay good prices for apples delivered at its mill on West Main street. It can use an unlimited amount of apples and is desirous that the fruit growers begin hauling at once.

The ROBINSON CIDER & VINEGAR CO.
602tf

Old papers for sale at this office.

A Continuation of the Great Slaughter Sale of the

Entire Sweet Stock of

DRY GOODS and GROCERIES

Having purchased this stock at the extremely low price of 60 cents on the dollar I will proceed to close it out at prices never before named in this city.

A great many new Fall and Winter Goods have come in, but there will be no reserve, every thing goes, and this will be the greatest chance of the season to get your cotton or wool dress goods, flannels, outings, shirtings, hosiery, blankets, drapes, curtains, or anything else usually carried in a first class dry goods or grocery stock. We give only a few illustrations of what will be

OUR WAY OF DOING THE BUSINESS

1,000 yds good standard prints, novelty styles, 3 3-4c yd
1,200 yds heavy brown muslin at 4c yd
1,800 yds Amoskeag outing flannels, old price 10 and 12 1-2c, choice of the lot at 7c yd

Ladies', gents' and children's underwear at prices that have never been matched in this city. We have not the time to quote them in this issue.
All our dress goods are now in and the prices are right.

GROCERY DEPARTMENT

8 lb can baked pork and beans, regular 15c goods, to close at 10c. Smaller size at 8c can
300 lbs Santos and Rio coffee, worth 20 and 25c, choice at 11c a lb
100 lbs Java and Mocha coffee, selling at 32c, going at 25c lb

100 lbs dust tea, worth wholesale 15c, going at 11c
75 lbs Oolong tea, worth 50c, selling at 29c
100 lbs Rocket baking powder, a good article, take what you want at 8c lb
100 lbs baking soda, 4c a package, worth 8c.

E. W. MOORE

SUCCESSOR TO C. C. SWEET

131 to 137 Pipestone St." SWEET'S DEPARTMENT STORE"